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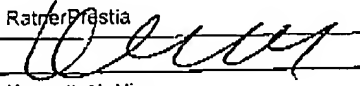
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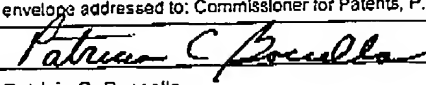
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This is in response to the Restriction Requirement stated in the Office
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The Examiner requires that claims of either species of Figs. 3a-3b
(corresponding to claims 1 and 9-13); 2) the species of Figs. 4a-4b (claims 1, 4-7
and 9-13); or 3) the species of Figs. 5a-5b (claims 1, 4 and 9-13) be elected for
prosecution. Applicant(s) elect(s) to prosecute 2) the species of Figs. 4a-4b, which
includes all of the pending claims 1, 4-7 and 9-13. This election is made without
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Respectfully submitted,


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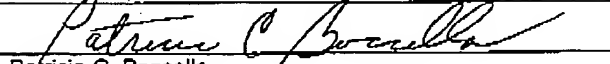
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